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Lieutenant Coleman and Sergeant  
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## THE "ROUGH RIDERS" IN IT

Terrible Heat and Still More Terrible Heat  
of Bullets—Roosevelt's Praise for  
Troop E—Men Fought Like  
Heroes.

Lieutenant Sherrard Coleman, of Troop E, 1st U. S. volunteer cavalry, has written home from the field of action near Santa Fe, as follows: "Las Guasimas, five miles from Santa Fe, camp on battle field, June 25.—We have had our first battle, and are now camping on the enemy's fortified position. It is a wonder that so many of us are alive. The detail so great and fraught with so many incidents that it would be impossible for me to give but a brief report of our first fight.

We left Albuquerque at 4 p. m., and by 8:30, by forced marching reached Durango, 12 miles distant over a narrow trail through the Cuban jungle. The temperature was simply burning and about 20 per cent of the regiment fell by the wayside from exhaustion, as we had to carry whatever we wanted on our backs, and three days' rations. When we stopped for camp it was pouring rain. Well, we pulled out again the next morning (on the 24th); had reveille at 3 o'clock, and took up the forced march at 5, climbing the foothills of the mountains with our heavy loads, and then took it single file along a narrow mountain trail on a ridge, at a four-mile gait. In the meantime most of our men had discarded all of their rations and blankets; they simply could not stand the load. There were three regiments, the 1st and 10th cavalry, regulars, and our regiment. Our brigade had the honor of being the advanced guard.

Well, we reached this point where we were fired on from ambush; that is, we had been pushed right into the enemy's fortified position and they had a cross-fire on us with Mauser rifles and batteries of rapid fire guns. This fire was terrible, as the Spaniards were using explosive bullets in their rapid fire guns and we did not know where the firing came from. For a time we thought our own men were firing at us.

The Spaniards are now signalling and we have been ordered to be in readiness. I will cut this short and only give an account of our troop. We were raked by a terrible fire and held our men under excellent control by making them lie down flat on the ground, and well did they stand firm.

It was terrible. The bushes were cut to pieces, but we had only one man wounded, Dean, of Santa Fe, and none killed. We captured several Spaniards, who said they did not understand the Americans, since they did not retreat from the heavy fire, but "kept a coming." We routed them out and now hold their position, which is a strong one.

There were about 4,000 Spaniards, they say, and there were only 900 of us in the battle. There were lots of men behind us, but they came too late to see the fight, which lasted two and a half hours. Nearly all of our boys were hit somewhere about their clothes. I got a bullet hole through my blanket, which was on my shoulder, and Pete Griffin had one in his blanket. Three of the boys had holes in their canteens and several received shots through the leggings and knickerbockers. One man had a canteen shot through twice while holding it that a comrade could drink. In the battle nine were killed, 33 wounded and nine reported as missing. Captain Capron was killed, Major Brodie and Captain McClintock were wounded. The regulars' loss was heavier than ours.

The spirit of the regiment is fine and the boys are all blood-thirsty. Santiago is sure to fall; I don't care how many men they may have. Admiral Sampson is still bombarding them from the sea and we are marching on. They killed Captain Capron, who killed two Spaniards just before he was shot. He was one of the nicest men I ever met and was the idol of the regiment. Major Brodie had his wrist shattered. Captain McClintock was shot twice through the leg. Lieutenant Thomas, of Capron's troop, was also wounded in the leg, and so on through the long list. But we are here, here to stay. Not a man flinched. You will, no doubt, see it all in the papers. The New York Journal's correspondent, Russell, was right behind us. He was shot through the back, receiving a broken spine, and cannot live. Richard Harding Davis and Dunning of the Associated Press, were with us, and both had narrow escapes.

We are now burying the dead. Poor boys; the tears will come as taps is sounded, but such is the fortune of war. It is a wonder we were not all cut to pieces. It was a complete ambushade and the Cubans all disappeared at the first shot. Lieutenant Will Griffin will probably reach us today with rations. We have nothing left. All of us are well except that we are tired. Everything I have on, even at this hour, is soaking wet, nothing but sweat, sweat, until you think it will never stop. Everything we had has been captured. I have lost my grip and don't know where my bed is. I sleep on the ground, using a blanket I picked up.

In a second letter written in the evening after the one above, the lieutenant continued: "We did splendidly and are the admiration of the regulars. Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt said that we behaved better than any other troop in his regiment under fire when all behaved splendidly. We had orders not to fire for fear of shooting into our own troops and we had to be still and take that raking fire; not a man of us gave way. The boys behind me said several times they thought I was shot, as the detail moved up all over me and the grass cut down all around. Let it be remembered that Troop E bore the brunt of the rapid fire guns, and it is a miracle we were not all killed or wounded. Only Corporal Dean was hit, receiving a shot through the thigh as he was kneeling down. The ball made only a flesh wound, and he was in excellent spirits when he left for the coast, carrying a wounded man in front of him on the same horse, steadying him. I have several relics which I will try to bring home; an officer's mace, pieces of Spanish money, neckties and even wine. We captured whole barrels of rum and wine, which the colonel ordered destroyed. The only thing that bothers me is the fact that we have to carry everything we have here on our backs. There are no pack animals, yet and it is so hot marching in these mountains—steep climbing and hot as hades—you can form no conception of the intense heat. How we suffered from those two forced marches. Just think of marching four miles an hour!

We have found so far 100 Spaniards killed—I don't know how many more. They are out looking for them now and

burying them. The 10th (colored) did splendidly and must be given credit for it.

W. E. Dame's Letter.

Judge Laughlin received the following letter from 1st Sergeant W. E. Dame: "Las Guasimas, Cuba, June 24.—I have been so busy since leaving that I have had very little time to write, and nothing of any interest occurred until this morning, when we met about 4,000 Spanish soldiers, strongly fortified and armed with Mauser rifles and machine guns. They poured a fire into us so thick and heavy that it is a miracle that we escaped being cut to pieces. The battle lasted about three hours, and our loss was killed and wounded, nine killed and 33 wounded. The Spanish loss was quite heavy. We drove them from their position, which we now occupy, and they fell back on Santa Fe, six miles distant, where the Spanish force is strongly entrenched and 20,000 strong. Our fighting force is 16,000.

The honor of opening the fight in Cuba belongs to the 1st regiment U. S. volunteer cavalry. The 1st and 10th U. S. cavalry came to our assistance and smashed them in elegant shape. The troops are now advancing to the front, driving everything before them. The big fight will occur in about a week before Santa Fe, and I hope that I will be in a position to write you about it.

In writing to the boys at the front address, Troop E, 1st U. S. volunteer cavalry, Military station, No. 1, Cuba, New York, N. Y.

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## RECORD AND BRIEF WORK.

Transcript, record and brief work for attorneys at the New Mexican printing office for the approaching session of the Territorial Supreme court, printed at the lowest possible figures and in the neatest, best and most acceptable style. Patronize the New Mexican Printing Co., and you will get first-class work, besides supporting an institution that is at work daily for this city, this county and the entire territory of New Mexico.

## CITY BREVITIES.

Regular meeting of Aztlan lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., this evening at 8 o'clock. The alfalfa crop on the Water company's farm is ready for the second cutting.

United States weather bureau forecast for New Mexico: Generally fair to night and Saturday.

Guests at the Palace hotel complain very bitterly at the horrible condition of the sidewalks on Washington avenue. Company C will not get away from the city until some time next week, probably Monday or Tuesday; lunches for the men will therefore not be needed until the time of departure.

The rush for stamps at the office of Collector A. L. Morrison has slackened somewhat, although still great. The collector says that the people are willing and anxious to pay the war taxes.

Through the efforts of Hon. Benjamin M. Reed, Martin Juana Gonzalez, widow of Soldier Jose Ignacio Gonzalez, has been granted a pension of \$8 per month, dating from July 7, also back pension due her dead husband.

Hon. Fausto Pino, county school superintendent, states that the appointment of taxes collected for the school fund will be made as soon as the collections for June last are paid over to the county treasurer.

At Wednesday night's meeting of Carleton post G. A. R. a vote of thanks was tendered by the post to Mr. Sam Rosenthal for the very handsome floral tribute prepared by him on the occasion of Judge Downs' funeral.

Deputy Collector Antonio Ortiz y Salazar is at the collector's office at the court house ready to receive taxes. He acts for Collector Muller, who is in the field in Cuba. Step up and pay your taxes.

The city ordinance prohibiting the running at large of animals should be rigidly enforced by the city marshal. The festive burro, rambling about the streets as free as air, is doing great damage to lawns and shrubbery. Marshal Gallegos should enforce the ordinance.

Mall for any of the Santa Fe volunteers with the "Rough Riders," should be addressed by giving the address as per example: "First Sergeant W. E. Dame, Troop E, 1st U. S. Vol. Cav., Military Station No. 1, Cuba, New York, N. Y." All mail addressed in this manner will be duly forwarded to the boys in the field.

The sidewalk in front of the residence occupied by Captain Day on Palace avenue is in a dreadful condition and ought to be repaired. If the property owners will not do so, the city ought to and charge the cost up to the property. The owners of that property are non-residents who care not a continental red cent for the comfort or well being of citizens here and ought to be made to come to time and obey the city ordinances.

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Writ of Habeas Corpus for McNew. Information received from Las Cruces states that William McNew, who in April last was committed to jail without bail to await the action of the grand jury upon the charge of murdering Albert J. Fountain in 1895, has sued out a writ of habeas corpus before the judge of the 2nd judicial district of New Mexico, resident at Socorro, the presiding judge of this district being absent from the territory. The writ is made returnable on the 13th inst. Lee and Gilliland, the other men charged with the crime, are still at large.

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## GOVERNOR M'CORD'S VISIT.

Chief Executive of Arizona and His Views on New Mexico Troops and Climate. Governor Myron H. M'Cord, of Arizona, was the guest of New Mexico's chief executive, Governor Otero, yesterday. Governor M'Cord came here for the purpose of consulting with Governor Otero in the matter of the appointment of field officers for the Arizona-Oklahoma-New Mexico-Indian Territory regiment of the U. S. volunteer infantry.

Concerning the progress of raising volunteer companies at home, Governor M'Cord said to a New Mexican representative: "One company, recruited at Phoenix, is already at Whipple Barracks, and another will arrive there tomorrow from Tucson. The Prescott company will be ready the fore part of next week."

Governor M'Cord pays a fine compliment to the New Mexico volunteers in the following: "I witnessed the departure of Company A from Albuquerque and have no hesitancy in pronouncing them as fine a body of men as could be found anywhere. From what I have seen of them, they are fully up to the splendid standard of New Mexico volunteer companies and will doubtless be fitted to the maximum strength in a short time."

"I am delighted to see so many young men of good families and attractive appearance entering the ranks. It betokens wonderful loyalty, and New Mexico has just reason to feel proud of her soldier boys."

"Is this your first visit to Santa Fe, governor?"

"Yes, and my impressions of the city can be summed up in a few words: Santa Fe is a splendid town and the climate is superb. In fact, the climate is the chief attraction, and I doubt if the world furnishes anything superior to it. Governor Otero has treated me with unusual courtesy during my brief visit here and I am deeply indebted to him for showing me the various points of interest."

Governor M'Cord impresses one as being a splendid type of the political leaders that the country insists shall be retained in power and made the most of. There is no "thou," characteristic in his make up, and he grasps the hand of the man in the humble walks of life with a firmness that seems to impart the assurance, "You are one of my people." He exemplifies in build and character the grand features of one of the world's greatest rulers, Abraham Lincoln; for consideration and the elements of a kindly heart fairly beam through lines of firm resolve. Arizona is fortunate to have a chief executive such as Governor M'Cord, and his presence in that capacity means that Arizona and New Mexico will be bound by the strongest ties of sisterhood, and that much mutual benefit will result.

## County Normal Institute.

Superintendent of Schools F. F. Pino is making arrangements for the normal institute to be held in this city this summer. Professor Lankard, of this city, and Professor Hewitt, principal of the Normal school at Las Vegas, have agreed each to give one of the whole week of their work in assisting to conduct this institute free of charge. This generous offer will gladly be accepted. It is to be hoped that all the teachers of this county will attend the institute. In all probability Miss Jessie May Himes, one of the teachers of this city, will be the conductor of the institute.

## Court Note.

In the District court, Judge McFie this morning rendered a judgment in the case of the First National Bank of Raton vs. Richard Dunn et al. in favor of the plaintiff for \$988.90 and costs.

## 300 Years Ago.

July 13, 1898, being the 300th anniversary of the settlement of New Mexico, the occasion will be celebrated here. A. S. M., on that date, the D. & G. R. E. will run a special train, leaving Santa Fe at 8 o'clock a. m., returning leaving Chama at 6 o'clock p. m. Fare for the round trip only \$1.25; children under 12 years, 75 cents. For particulars see posters or address the undersigned. T. J. HELM, General Agent.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Thomas Moore, Jr., will go to Albuquerque tonight.

H. S. Clancy and family are rusticated on the Pecos.

M. P. Gleason, of San Francisco, is stopping at the Palace.

Fred A. Wilson, a Topeka drummer, is registered at the Claire.

Patrio Cerro and family returned to their home at Cerro this morning.

Hon. J. D. Sena went to Taos this morning on probate court business.

Mrs. James Sturroids and Miss L. Edis, are stopping at the Exchange.

F. A. Pond, a Chicago commercial traveler, is registered at the Exchange.

George Crawford, teacher in the U. S. Indian school, is visiting friends in Albuquerque.

G. A. and Otto Franz, of Magdalena, are visiting their sister, Mrs. E. A. Fiske, in this city.

Mr. J. W. Shock and family, of Albuquerque, are guests at the Claire. They will remain in the city all summer.

F. M. Root, representing the W. C. Devine & Co., confectionery firm of Denver, went north this morning.

E. D. Swan and George Peters, two miners, came down from Tres Piedras last evening. They stop at the Bon-Ton.

George R. Bennett, secretary of the Colorado Investment Loan company, returned to Denver this morning from a brief business trip to Santa Fe.

Mrs. F. E. Sturges, wife of the proprietor of Sturges' European hotel in Albuquerque, accompanied by her son and Miss Grace Hays, are guests at the Palace.

Mr. Daniel Carter, an old veteran of the civil war, came in from Glorieta this morning to bid his son good-bye, he having enlisted in Captain Strover's company. Mr. Carter stops at the Bon-Ton.

From Albuquerque it is reported that Sheriff Thomas A. Hubbell, who went to Washington with Judge J. W. Crumpacker, is a candidate for the appointment of U. S. marshal for the Philippine Islands should the latter remain under the jurisdiction of the United States. Mr. Hubbell, it is admitted by all who know him, is well fitted for such a position. Indeed, he would be a remarkably proper man for such an appointment when the time comes.

J. H. Simmons, who is connected with the auditing department of the A. T. & S. F. Ry., is seeing the sights of the Ancient City.

Judge A. B. Fall left for Las Cruces this evening. He has offered to raise a company for the volunteer infantry battalion now being organized and his offer may yet be accepted.

## At the Hotels.

At the Claire: John W. Shock and family, Albuquerque; J. S. Simmons, Fred A. Wilson, Topeka, Kas.

At the Exchange: Mrs. James Sturroids, Miss L. Edis, Lamy; F. A. Pond, Chicago.

At the Palace: M. P. Gleason, San Francisco; Mrs. F. E. Sturges and son, Miss Grace Hays, Albuquerque.

At the Bon-Ton: E. T. Swan, George Peters, Chama; Antonio Romero, Francisco Ortiz, Albuquerque; J. Langston, Denver; Pedro Vigil, Francisco Quintana, Taos; Martin Friesquez, Espanola; Dan Carter, Glorieta.

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## Code of Civil Procedure.

Every practicing attorney in the territory should have a copy of the New Mexico Code of Civil Procedure, bound in separate form with alternate blank pages for annotations. The New Mexican Printing company has such an edition on sale at the following prices: Leatherette binding, \$1.25; full law sheep, \$2; flexible morocco, \$2.50.

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